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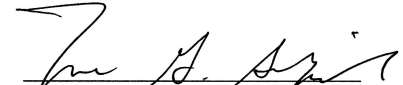
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The Honorable Lorna G. Schofield
United States District Judge
Southern District of New York
40 Foley Square
New York, New York 10007

Application Granted. The change of plea hearing is referred to the magistrate judge on duty. The parties shall promptly schedule a hearing. Defendant's Motion to Suppress (Dkt. No. 69) is DENIED as moot. The Clerk of the Court is directed to terminate the motions at docket numbers 69 and 77,

Dated: January 29, 2024
New York, New York

Re: *United States v. Cheema et al*, 22 Cr. 615 (LGS)


LORNA G. SCHOFIELD
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

Dear Judge Schofield:

The Government respectfully writes on behalf of the Government and defendant Liaquat Cheema to request that the Court schedule a hearing at which defendant Liaquat Cheema is anticipated to enter a guilty plea. The parties request that the Court schedule the hearing for February 8, 2024, or a convenient date thereafter. Alternatively, if the Court would prefer, the parties are willing to proceed with the plea hearing in Magistrate's Court. In addition, in light of the anticipated guilty plea, the parties request that the briefing schedule on defendant Liaquat Cheema's pending motion, (Dkt. 69), be adjourned *sine die*.

Respectfully submitted,

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